

In the claims:

1. (Cancelled).
2. (Cancelled).
3. (Currently Amended). A cemetery flower holder according to claim 1-9 wherein the end of said upper shaft remote from said disc is enlarged.
4. (Cancelled).
5. (Cancelled).
6. (Cancelled).
7. (Cancelled).
8. (Cancelled).
9. (Currently Amended). A cemetery flower holder and a vase comprising a shaft and multiple elongated straight extensions integrally joined to said shaft of substantially equal length, said extensions having free ends and being enclosed in said vase, each extension integrally secured at one end to periphery of said shaft and extending outwardly from said shaft substantially 90 degrees thereto with the ends said free end thereof in abutment with an inner surface of said vase such that said extensions are deformed and remain deformed by means of the length of said extensions being greater than the distance between said shaft and the inner surface of said vase, said extensions comprising at least three levels with each level comprising at least three extensions, each of said extensions being cylindrical in shape, said shaft comprising a base shaft and an upper shaft with a disc disposed therebetween, said disc comprising an upper surface, and at least one prong extending upwardly from said upper surface, and a foam insert substantially enveloping said prong.